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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/767,230
Filing Date: January 29, 2004
Inventor(s): Sadayuki OHNISHI, et al.
Title: **CARBON CONTAINING SILICON OXIDE FILM . . .**
Examiner Name: Andy Huynh
Group Art Unit: 2818
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Commissioner for Patents
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July 8, 2005

ELECTION

SIR/MADAM:

In response to the Office Action mailed on June 9, 2005, the period for responding thereto having been set to expire after July 9, 2005, Applicants hereby elect Species I corresponding to claims 6-13. Applicants also acknowledge that claims 1-5 are generic.

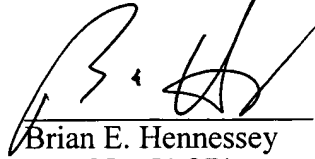
Applicants reserve the right to file a continuing and/or divisional application directed to any unelected claims. Early examination on the merits is earnestly solicited.

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